

RIVALRY FOR CURL TRY AGAIN TO-DAYR SUPREMACY.

Lipton Says a Wind Off Shore Will Over the Triangular Course is No Sea Is What They Want Unexpected to Bring Out the Fine Most Get—Columbia's Skipper in Both Racers—Sham-Captain Barr, Declares Any Trick Admirers Express More Con-vailing Conditions Will Suit Hulance as Result of Saturday's Just So Long as There Is Breeze—Both Yachts at the U Point of Readiness.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Sept. 30.—What can Shamrock do under the conditions of the race? It is the question of absorbing interest on board the racing fleets anchored within the Sandy Hook harbor this evening. When this question was put to Sir Thomas Lipton, on board the Erin, he replied:

"It is easier to ask that question than to answer it. My advisers are inclined to think that my golden bird can fly to better advantage over such a course than in a beat against it, and a run back with spinners set. I'm sure I can give no satisfactory answer. The morning alone will tell. My opinion is that with one of the legs a beat to windward, and the other two reaches, or one a run with the wind and the other a reach, as will probably be the case, the Shamrock should make an excellent showing. What would I not give if she could win? With favorable conditions I am confident she could. Wind off shore; with no sea, is what we want and must get."

PREDICTIONS FOR WEATHER DO NOT PLEASE LIPTON.

"What a shame," he exclaimed, "with all my masts and all my good friends, Providence seems to be against us, for that is not Shamrock weather. Sir Thomas's prayer for wind was echoed by every yachtsman on either of the fleets."

CHANCES FOR YACHTING WIND ARE UNFAVORABLE.

New York, Sept. 30.—The race will be over in a matter of hours, ten miles to each leg—thirty miles in all. The start will be made from the Sandy Hook lightship at 11 o'clock as will be practicable. Doctor Frankford of Washington, forecast official, says that the chances for a yachting wind at New York on Tuesday are unfavorable. "Off Sandy Hook," he says, "the winds on Tuesday will be from light to fresh northwesterly in the morning and will diminish and become variable in the afternoon. The weather promises to be fair."

E. D. MORGAN, MANAGING OWNER OF THE COLUMBIA, CAPTAIN CHARLES BARR, HER CAPTAIN, CAPTAIN SYCAMORE, THE SHAMROCK, HE WAS JUST AS EAGER FOR A SNAPPING BREEZE AS WAS THE KNIGHT OF ERIN.

"Give us a wind and we shall show you a race," said Mr. Morgan. "It is the one thing we need. Present indications, though, suggest a repetition of Thursday's unsatisfactory race."

"What do I think of the Shamrock's chances over a triangular course? I can tell you that better to-morrow. All I can say at present is that the boats are close rivals for the cup and no race is won until the boats have crossed the line."

Captain Barr was chary of words. He declined to discuss the merits of the Irish yacht. In regard to the race to-morrow he said:

"It matters little to me what conditions prevail so long as we have a blow to drive the Columbia to sea. I will be satisfied with a wind limit. I'll be satisfied with a wind that will accomplish the feat."

Captain Sycamore spent much of the day on board the Shamrock. Referring to to-morrow's race, he said:

"Conditions which will make Captain Sycamore happy. Let the wind whistle through the rig-

THREE MEN ARE ACCUSED OF THE DE SOTO, MO., DOUBLE MURDER.

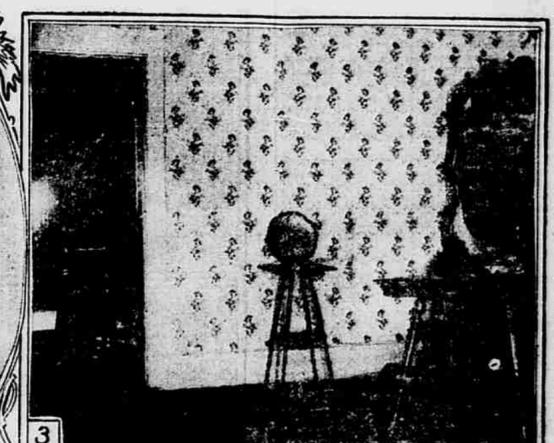
William Greenhill Confesses That He and His Brother Daniel Killed Their Sister, Mrs. Sadie Uren, and John Meloy to Prevent Them From Marrying—Caleb Andrews Is Held by the Verdict of the Coroner's Jury as Accessory to the Crime—Mother of Dead Woman Tries to Shield her Sons.



1. MRS. UREN'S HOME. THE ADJOINING HOUSE IS WHERE FATHER AND BROTHERS LIVED, ONLY FIFTEEN FEET DISTANT. THE MURDERERS ENTERED AT THE REAR.



2. DAN GREENHILL (MRS. UREN'S ROOM IN WHICH THE TRAGEDY OCCURRED, SHOWING THE DOOR WHERE MURDERERS ENTERED AND LEFT, THE CARPET NEAR THE



3. TABLE WAS RED WITH BLOOD. WILLIAM GREENHILL, JOHN MELOY, DAN GREENHILL, JOSEPH G. WILLIAMS, PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF JEFFERSON COUNTY.

BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT. De Soto, Mo., Sept. 29.—Daniel Greenhill, William Greenhill and Caleb Andrews are charged in warrants issued this evening with murder in the first degree. They are accused of causing the death of Mrs. Sadie Uren, sister of the Greenhill brothers, and John Meloy at her home Saturday night.

The three prisoners are under guard at the Commercial Hotel to-night. De Soto's jail being considered unsafe. In the morning, at 9 o'clock, they will be taken to the County Jail at Hillsboro to await the Grand Jury's action. Prosecuting Attorney Joseph Williams is expected to call an extra session of the Grand Jury, and not await the regular meeting of that body in January.

Justice L. B. True issued the warrants immediately after Coroner Taylor filed his affidavit of the finding of the jury impaneled for the inquest.

The Greenhill brothers broke down and cried bitterly when the warrants were read to them. Andrews was greatly surprised that he had been held by the Coroner's jury, but his friends agree that his refusal to divulge information about the killing might be supposed to have placed him in this unenviable position.

Soon after the warrant was served on him, Andrews conferred with Prosecuting Attorney Williams, and asked if he would be allowed to give bond if he would now tell all he knows. A full confession is looked for from him to-night.

WILLIAM GREENHILL LAYS WHOLE BLAME ON BROTHER. William Greenhill has already made a confession, witnessed by Prosecuting Attorney Williams, Constable Willis Mothershead, Frank Williams, former City Marshal, Charles Pulcher, detective, and Policeman Jim Murray, in which he lays the whole blame on his brother Daniel.

William Greenhill's confession was obtained early this morning, after the officers had searched him for several hours. The information divulged by him was in the possession of Prosecuting Attorney Williams all day during the progress of the inquest, but he used it only as a lever to work upon Daniel Greenhill and Caleb Andrews who, by their expressions, indicated their surprise at the many questions right to the point put to them by the prosecutor.

Very evidently they felt when being questioned by Williams that he knew the full story, but Andrews clung to his first statement with bulldog tenacity.

Not so with Daniel Greenhill, however. The knowledge Mr. Williams had obtained from William Greenhill's confession acted as a powerful lever on him and because of this he requested late this afternoon that he be allowed to make another statement to the Coroner's jury.

This statement, which appears below in full, is so conflicting that little doubt was left in the minds of the jurors who heard it.

Dan confessed to having carried the revolver with which his sister and Meloy had been shot over to show to his mother. It was bloody when he first carried it to her, he said, and he cleaned it at home before returning it.

He declared that he had thrust the revolver into his pocket, and the pocket was examined and found to be blood-stained. The pocket was cut from the prisoner's trousers and shown to the jury and Coroner. A shudder passed over the crowded room as the gruesome object was held up to view by Prosecutor Williams.

"I killed her," he said, "and I prevented them from marrying."

William Greenhill's statement to the four officials was so thrilling that these men, used as they are to crime and criminals, were affected.

"Sister Sadie and John Meloy were to be married," he said, in stating his confession. "John was a spendthrift, and all he wanted to marry her for was to get her property and run through it. We decided we would rather see her dead than his wife."

"Dan and I went into the back door of her house alone. We passed through the dining-room and east room and found our sister sitting on the sofa in the parlor. Dan hit both sister and John with the hatchet. He hit sister again and both fell to the floor."

"After they fell on the floor Dan found a revolver in Meloy's right-side coat pocket. He thrust the barrel into the wounds he had inflicted with the hatchet on both their heads and fired."

"I then ran home and hid the ax, as Dan threw the pistol and hatchet on the floor. We went back out the rear door. Father had heard the shooting and started over to sister's house. We took him back home, but all returned to Sadie's house later."

"We killed him to prevent him from marrying Sadie and spending her money. If it was to do over again I'd do it just the same. The testimony we gave yesterday was a lie. Dan killed them both."

"If Andrews was around the house we did not see him. Nobody told us to kill them. Sister Sadie and Meloy's lap in the parlor, marry John Meloy, and assured us it was none of our business."

"I know I'm gone, but I think they ought to give me one penitentiary sentence. My God, we could not bear to think of John Meloy marrying her for her property. This is awful, and I know I'm gone."

MRS. UREN'S DIVORCED HUSBAND ARRIVES. Prosecuting Attorney Williams stated that he had made no promises of immunity for William Greenhill for turning State's evidence. He will be prosecuted just the same as the others, he prosecuting declares.

De Soto is resting under a pall to-day. On the streets, in front of the store and in public places knots of men and women can be heard discussing the dreadful tragedy. Mrs. Uren had lost much of her property

him first or hit him with the hatchet. "After I saw I couldn't pull the trigger off I kicked him in the head and then I took my father home."

"I don't know how I hit him. Then I came back and got the gun and put it in my pocket and took it home."

"Mr. Williams has got my pocket. Then I came back and hid the gun down; I went back home again. Then I came back and took another glance in there; then I went home and stayed."

"If you gentlemen have any idea now or anybody else that you would have done anything different for the love of your sister, you can do with me what you will."

"Were you in your own house when the pistol shot went off?" asked a juror. "Yes, sir, I ran over there."

NEVER HEARD OF BROTHER KILLING HIS OWN SISTER. "Were you the brother Bill there?" queried the juror.

"No, sir, I tried to pull the trigger, but it wouldn't work. I thought it was self-defense, but it didn't work for me. I didn't shoot. I didn't try to shoot him any more."

"He seemed to be dead," asked the juror. "Yes, sir, he was dead before I put in there."

"You don't know where your brother Bill was?" "No, sir."

"Was your brother Bill there?" "No, sir, he had been dead half an hour."

"Did you see the blood on the floor?" "Yes, sir, I saw it on the floor."

"I have told you everything; just the way it happened. My goodness! you men can surely convince yourselves that a brother wouldn't murder his own sister. Nobody ever heard of anything like that. If any of you can find a black mark on me in this town, why—"

As the prisoner was taken back to the hotel where four armed and trusted men are guarding him and his brother, Prosecuting Attorney Williams announced that the testimony was all in, but the jury again desired to visit the scene of the crime.

JURY PAYS SECOND VISIT TO SCENE OF THE TRAGEDY. Mr. Williams explained that the second visit was made on account of some of the jurors having failed to see the blood spots on the walls of the room when they first visited the house.

After inspecting the place the second time the jurors returned to the City Hall to deliberate on the case. They were about an hour preparing a verdict.

Caleb Andrews did not give the damaging testimony expected of him. He said he was first to enter the room after the shooting, and both Mrs. Uren and Meloy were then dead. It took him, according to his testimony, five minutes to get around the cottage to the front door.

He had been sitting on the back porch with Mrs. Uren and Meloy for five or ten minutes before the shooting.

He was very nervous, and the startling question put by Mr. Williams: "Did you tell three members of your railroad lodge that you knew just how the crime was committed, but would die before telling?" answered to worry him greatly, although he seemed in the negative. He seemed to be withholding valuable information, but all manner of questions failed to shake him.

He had called on Mrs. Uren often, he said, but had made no arrangements to board with her. He stated that he saw neither

Dan nor Will Greenhill strike the dead body with an ax or hatchet, but would not admit that they might have done so without him seeing it.

He said that both brothers were in the room when he entered after the firing of the shots, and added that he had informed them that he intended to call the police, which he did.

Ward Cunningham, a hardware dealer, testified that a man answering Meloy's description had requested him to loan or sell him a cheap revolver about 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, but he refused to let him have it, as he was intoxicated.

Doctors G. A. Andrews, W. H. Farrar and M. P. Hinchelbush, being recalled, related their statements made the day before, that the pistol wounds were within the ax wounds and had been inflicted afterwards.

Samuel Byrnes, counsel for the Greenhill brothers, is said to have remarked that he will overcome this expert testimony when the proper time comes.

Prosecuting Attorney Williams says he is now confident that the revolver found in the house was taken there by John Meloy.

OTHER WITNESSES THROW LIGHT ON THE KILLING. Mrs. Fernina Smith, who lives four doors from the Greenhill home, was the first witness called to testify before the Coroner's jury this morning. She threw no light on the tragedy.

Mrs. Mary Jackson, another neighbor, told of entering the Greenhill home ten minutes after the shots were fired in the Uren house and finding Mrs. Greenhill on her knees praying for her daughter's soul.

She further stated that Mrs. Greenhill, mother of the murdered woman, and three boys, told her that Dan Greenhill brought the revolver, which was later found at Meloy's side, over to their house, and then took it back to the dead sister's home.

Mrs. Greenhill also told him, she said, that Dan had admitted to her that he struck John Meloy on the head with the hatchet.

Bert Gallwey, who said that Dan Greenhill had threatened to kill him and his sister Sadie Uren also, if he did not quit calling at her house.

William Paul, Charles Boyne and Vinton Meloy, father of the dead boy, were the next witnesses. Paul knew nothing. Boyne said he was the second man to enter the room where the dead bodies lay, and that Robert Greenhill and his son Dan were the only persons there at the time.

FATHER OF DEAD MAN GIVES STRONG EVIDENCE FOR STATE. Vinton Meloy claimed to be the first to substantiate the theory of the State in the case, which is that the hatchet and ax wounds were inflicted after the shooting.

Upon entering the house, he said, he ran to the body of his son and placed his hand over the wound in the head.

"The body was cold," he said, "and I think my son had been dead half an hour. I was only fifty yards away when the shots were fired, and I ran at full speed to the house, arriving there not more than a minute later."

"As I left the house, I heard Dan Greenhill say: 'He's dead now, and ought to have been dead long ago. I ran home, a blip and an hour ago, and told my wife of our son's death.'"

JOSEPH D. SALKELD. STRAWBERRIES ARE RIPE IN ILLINOIS.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Metropolis, Ill., Sept. 30.—On the farm of A. L. Kennedy, near this city, is a patch of ripe full-developed strawberries. Mr. Kennedy is of the opinion that he has succeeded in producing a September variety of the berry.

MR. KRUGER ABANDONS HOPE IN ROOSEVELT. London, Oct. 1.—"Mr. Kruger," says a dispatch to the Daily Mail from Brussels, "has abandoned the idea of sending a delegation to the President of the United States, having ascertained that Mr. Roosevelt will pursue the policy of nonintervention."

UPRISING IN MANILA FEARED. Miss Mitchell Writes That Notices Are Constantly Watched. Annapolis, Md., Oct. 1.—Miss Mitchell, a Philippine Islands, Miss Mary Mitchell, who is at present in Manila, where her father is a Government engineer, writes to Miss Meyer, editorial of the Standard School, that an uprising is momentarily feared in the heart of Manila.

Most of the events in their houses are Filipinos, and nearly all of the laborers on the street belong to the same race, and she says that they are constantly being watched. Evidences of plots have been discovered on numerous occasions, but the discovery is never made public, as the vigilance of the American troops has so far prevented the conspiracies from being consummated.

THE REPUBLIC WILL POST BULLETINS NOTING PROGRESS OF THE YACHT RACE. It is possible the yacht race to-day may not begin until about 11 o'clock St. Louis time. This is due to a desire of the New York Yacht Club to give the Shamrock an opportunity to sail over a certain course, this having been requested by Sir Thomas Lipton. If this is done the starting will be five miles farther out at sea.

The Republic will post bulletins noting the progress of the yachts every few minutes. Messages will be sent by wireless telegraphy from the press boats, which will follow the yachts, and thence to The Republic by special wire. This assures great promptitude. The Republic's bulletins will always show just what position the racers occupy.

"STATEMENT WAS ABSOLUTELY CORRECT."

State Auditor Allen Announces That He Did Authorize The Republic's Article.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Jefferson City, Mo., Sept. 30.—State Auditor Allen to-day emphatically confirmed the correctness of the statement published in the Republic concerning the delay in issuing the report of Treasury receipts and disbursements during the past thirty-five years.

Captain Allen's announcement, which follows, is in the nature of a reply to the article in Monday's Globe-Democrat which said that the Republic's report was not authorized by the State Auditor. Captain Allen Fair Site Legally Accepted.

"I desire to say that the statement published in The Republic of 29th, explaining the delay in getting out the exhibits of the receipts into and disbursements from the State treasury during the last thirty-five years was made by my authority, and had been made by me verbally to friends at Jefferson City and in letters to other friends residing in St. Louis, St. Joseph, New Madrid and other places several days before its publication. The statement as published in The Republic is absolutely correct."

REUNITED BY THEIR CHILD. Parents Divorced Are Reconciled Through Efforts of Son.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Macou, Mo., Sept. 30.—Edward Smiley of this city was recently granted a divorce from his wife, Belle. Ever since the divorce his 10-year-old boy has been working to reconcile his estranged parents. His efforts were finally successful, and to-night Mr. and Mrs. Smiley were reunited by Squire J. M. Holman.

Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co.'s Shipment Shipments for September, 1903, \$45,392.91. Shipments for September, 1902, \$46,324.74.

Shipments for 1901 to October 1, \$4,649,297.81. Shipments for 1902 to October 1, \$4,859,626.81. Gain \$209,328.96.

LEADING TOPICS

WEATHER INDICATIONS. or Missouri—Fair Tuesday; fair and Wednesday; southerly winds, coming variable. or Illinois—Fair Tuesday; warmer northeast portion; fair and cooler Wednesday; southerly winds, becoming variable. or Arkansas—Generally fair Tuesday and Wednesday; southerly winds, coming variable.

IF SUN RISES THIS MORNING AT AND SETS THIS EVENING AT 5:45.

Campaign for Charter Amendments. Children's Chorus at the Ex. Annihilation of Company C Was Practically Complete. Questions Guards' Story of Assault.

Parish Priests to Hold Mission in St. Louis. Hanna Would Safeguard the President. The Railroads.

Baseball Games. Editorial. Opening Ball of Columbian Club. The Stage.

Southwest Missouri Conference. Young Burglars Sentenced. East Side News.

Republic "Want" Advertisements. Record of Births, Marriages, Deaths, New Corporations.

Republic "Want" and Real Estate Advertisements.

Grain and Produce Markets. Sales of Live Stock.

Financial News. River Telegrams. Plentiful Supply of Fruits and Vegetables. Treasury Has Money to Spare. Creek Nation Leaves Held Up.